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Mrs J C Booth
Hollingford College
Dear Madam

Your letter duly rec'd
I am truly sorry to learn that
Prof Booth is in such feeble
health. but trust he has improved
before this.

I am preparing the Statement
suggested in my previous letter
and will have it with some
other documentary evidence I
consider essential. printed
I will have 500. or 600 copies
printed in order to be able to
place one in the hands of
each Senator and Member of

the House.

I will use every endeavor to secure an early report on the bill by the Committee of the two houses or ask to get it on the Calendar as early as practicable. Will advise you when I need money for incidental Expenses.

As I wrote in my former letter whatever I do in this matter is simply as a friend of Prof Booth and not for any pecuniary reward.

Very Truly

R. E. Preston

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Mr R. E. Preston